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THE DIXIE HANDICAP

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Judge Roberts Frank Keenan Johnny Sheridan Lloyd Hughes Dexter.....John Sainpolis Noah.....Otis Harlan Bubbles.....Joseph Morrison The Major Otto Hoffman Mr. Bosworth Edward Martindel Mrs. Bosworth Ruth King A tout......Wm. Quirk A tout.....Jas.Quinn Losing Jones Loyal Underwood Conductor Bert Lindley Constable...........Milton Ross Milkman......J.P. Lockney

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Presents
THE DIXIE HANDICAP

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JUDGE JEFFERY ROBERTS, aristocrat of the old Southern school, is facing ruin and disgrace. For years he has been living a magnificent lie in posing as wealthy in order to keep his beautiful daughter Virginia in an expensive private school. To do this it has been necessary to mortgage his once large Kentucky estate and mansion until he has little left but the house and stable. From "Southern Melody," famous old racing mare, he has bred "Dixie," and on this colt he has placed his hope of regaining lost fortune.

On land which the judge has been forced to sell, Bosworth, a New York millionaire, is building a modern racing plant and clubhouse. His superintendent and manager is Dexter, who at once sees through the thin screen of supposed wealth which the judge has thrown around him, and because he wants to marry Virginia he tells the daughter how near the father is to ruin.

To save her father, Virginia consents to marry Dexter, although she is in love with Johnny Sheridan, a young race track follower who has trained "Dixie" and become a partner of Judge Roberts. The colt has shown promise of great speed in trial races, and Bosworth has tried to purchase her. On learning of the sacrifice which Virginia is to make for him, Judge Roberts sells Bosworth his beloved horse, and with the money he sends his daughter to Europe with Mr. and Mrs. Bosworth.

The old aristocrat's path leads downward as he loses his home, is defeated for re-election as Judge and sinks to the level of a drunken hobo. Sheridan, sick at heart because he believes Virginia is in love with Dexter, leaves and follows "Dixie" to Belmont, where Dexter has entered the colt in her first race in preparation for the \$50,000 derby at Latonia. Under new hands Dixie behaves badly and is left at the barrier while the jockey beats her brutally, attempting to make up for the bad start. "Dixie" falls and is declared worthless for future racing, and, rather than have the colt shot, Bosworth gives her to Sheridan.

Johnny returns to Kentucky with the horse and finds Judge Roberts with his old servant Noah who refuses to be discharged, even though his old master is penniless. A dramatic re-union takes place between the old judge and his horse. Together Sheridan and the judge nurse "Dixie" until derby day finds them in Poverty Row at Latonia, but with the colt entered in the race.

Virginia returns to learn that her father is bankrupt, but with "Dixie's victory" fortune smiles again, and the reunion is complete when she helps Johnny over his bashfulness by asking him to marry her.

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